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Application No. 10/643,409	Filing Date 8/19/2003	Examiner Zeinab El Arini	Customer No.	Group Art Unit 1746	Confirmation No. 3444

Invention: **METHOD FOR REMOVING A COMPOSITE COATING CONTAINING TANTALUM DEPOSITION AND ARC SPRAYED ALUMINUM FROM CERAMIC SUBSTRATES**

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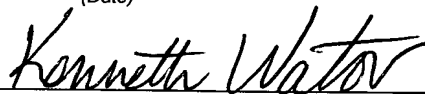
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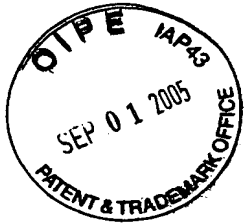


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AMENDMENT

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In response to the Office action of June 23, 2005, Applicants request that the
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